

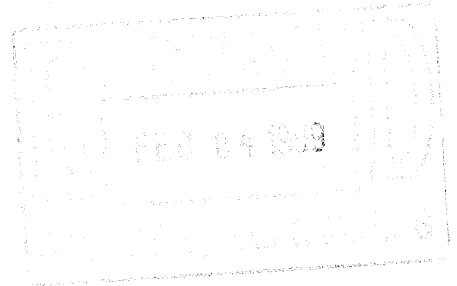


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Attn: Pamela Grubaugh-Littig

Re: Fourth Quarter 1998 Hydrology Monitoring Report, Willow  
Creek Mine, ACT/007/038

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Dear Ms. Grubaugh-Littig:

Enclosed please find the aforementioned. The enclosed report reflects those monitoring stations monitored during the fourth quarter. For the month of December, the monitoring sites were covered with ice, therefore no measurements were taken.

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If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, likely belonging to Johnny Pappas.

Johnny Pappas  
Sr. Environmental Engineer

Enclosure

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